

## Hawaiian Gazette

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ONE of the worst vices of the present Legislature is its propensity to amend its own bills. Thursday furnished a fresh illustration. Seven months should be time enough to furnish an adequate protection against hasty legislation.

## A HALF-CENTURY OF HONOR.

The January number of the Friend is the first of the 51st volume and affords a fitting opportunity for a brief retrospect of the half-century that is closed. It is not a little thing to have maintained a journal for fifty years in this obscure corner of the world. To have maintained one of a uniformly high and honorable character is a better thing still. The Friend began with the beginnings of Hawaiian civilization and has witnessed and shared in all the changes—great everywhere, and greater here in Hawaii than elsewhere—of the last fifty years. There could be no worthier monument to the founder, the late Rev. Dr. Damon.

The Friend has never been in abler hands than at present, and we cordially wish it another half-century of life and increased prosperity and usefulness.

ALMOST the whole of Friday was given up by the House to a tedious discussion of the proposition to send a legislative delegation to Washington. The plan was finally adopted with an amendment giving the appointment to the Queen, subject to the approval of the Cabinet. This is, perhaps, the best solution of the matter, as most of the Hawaiian members are naturally anxious to go, and the selection would have involved much heart-burning. There is just one thing of supreme importance for Hawaii, and that is the securing of a further treaty with the United States. No stone should be left unturned, no labor spared, no time lost in the effort to secure this invaluable boon. The sending of this commission can hardly do any harm; and, if it is judiciously selected, it may do something to forward the ends which Hawaii must keep constantly in view.

## A FRENCH OPINION.

A Paris daily, the Journal du 18e Arrondissement, contains a notice in regard to the present Cabinet, which is flattering. It is from the pen of M. Fleury, and after referring to the previous Cabinets as being far from satisfying public opinion, it mentions the names of the present Ministers, and describes them as supported by the moderate majority of the Legislature, and sanctioned by the public sentiment.

It is interesting that this Paris journal reaches Honolulu just as the Legislature confirms the accuracy of its statements. It is further gratifying to note that this paper has managed to obtain information far more accurate than many American journals, not excluding those of the metropolis which is almost next door. Even so conservative a weekly as the Christian Union lately published a contributed article on Hawaii, which was noticeable chiefly by its inaccuracies.

\$500.

A bill was passed in the Legislature on Friday raising the pay of representatives from \$250 to \$500. The arguments in regard to this matter are pretty evenly balanced. Hawaii thus far has adopted a mean between the two extremes of paying nothing and paying enough, and has fixed the salary of a representative at about the wage of a porter or errand boy. The usual theory of the Hawaiian Government, and it is a costly one, has been to pay for the office and

not the man. This has hitherto been reversed in the pay of representatives and the figure has been based on an estimate (often exaggerated) of the value of the average representative.

The House has already sat 164 days. If the session should last six days longer, the total would be 170 days. This at \$250 for the session, gives an average daily wage of \$1.41. If the legitimate perquisites be added, such as pencils and stationery, newspapers, law books, free rides on the railroad, and occasional luau, besides other little luxuries, the total would probably reach \$1.75 a day, or something over ten dollars per week. If legislation be classed as unskilled labor, as most of it certainly is, this rate of remuneration will appear extravagantly high, and entirely without example in any of the other trades. If the principle of piece-work should be adopted in paying for bill passing, as it is for bill pasting, it is obvious that the cost to the country would be far less. Seven months would then shrink to two; public business would escape the loss consequent on months of uncertainty and disturbance, and the gain to the community could hardly be measured. The principle of only paying for the work actually done is not likely, however, to find favor with the members of a Hawaiian Legislature, most of whom would starve on such a basis, and any hope of introducing it would prove entirely chimerical.

As no radical change in the method of remuneration seems feasible, the plan of raising the salary to \$500 for the period is worth a trial. It has just one advantage. It will enable members to live decently during their residence in Honolulu, and remove at least one motive to corruption, viz: the pressure of positive want. It is not likely to secure better talent, for the ablest Hawaiians are eager to enter the Legislature already. It may tend to prolong sessions, and that would be a curse. What is hoped for it is that it will allay the itching of at least some legislative palms, and if it does so everyone should be satisfied.

## Local Option in Massachusetts.

The licensing of the sale of liquors in Boston and other large cities in Massachusetts is regulated by a local option law. At the recent election, held December 13, four cities—Boston, Lowell, Worcester and Newburyport—voted in favor of license, and five—Cambridge, Lynn, Salem, Medford and Everett—voted no license. In the State there are twelve license cities and eighteen no license. The total vote in the thirty cities stood 98,636 for license and 105,296 against license.

The election in Boston was a very exciting one, and out of a total vote of 61,592 the license party won by the close majority of 11,448, where in 1891 its majority was 15,249. The Boston Herald says that the late election does not show the full strength of the prohibition party. But it exhibits the intense and wide-spread want of confidence in the police commissioners, who have the regulation of the liquor traffic and whose dismissal is now loudly demanded.

## About Old Books.

The re-covering of old books and the binding of magazines, pamphlets, etc., has grown to be a large business in the United States. The skillful workman can re-cover an old volume so that it will have the same appearance as a new one, and sets of magazines may be bound in a neat manner and prove a valuable addition to the reading room or library. The bindery in the office of the Hawaiian Gazette Co. is fully equipped for this class of work, and first class work is guaranteed at low rates. Ring up 88 on either telephone and get estimates on any work you may have on hand. All bindery work lettered with pure gold leaf without extra cost.

For pains in the chest there is nothing better than a flannel cloth saturated with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on over the seat of pain. It will produce a counter irritation without blistering, and is not so disagreeable as mustard; in fact is much superior to any plaster on account of its pain-relieving qualities. If used in time it will prevent pneumonia. 50 cent bottles for sale by all dealers. BENSON, SMITH & CO., Agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

## WHO READS ADVERTISEMENTS?

Who reads advertisements? The answer is not far away. Women read them. This fact is realized by the merchants of the United States, and the retail dealers keep this point in view when they write advertisements. The writer of advertisements who does not know this fact, or who does not make use of it, is wasting time and money. The man of the house hurries through his breakfast, looks at the news columns while drinking his coffee, and then is away. The lady of the house has the day before her. At some time in the day she takes the morning paper and goes through it systematically. After the marriages, deaths and births, she wanders to the columns devoted to bargain sales. She can tell you who is selling hosiery cheap, and where to buy black goods. She follows the ebb and flow of bargains, and is an authority on remnant sales.

No man reads a newspaper like a woman; no man reads a paper so systematically. In speaking of this matter, the question arises as to whether a morning or an evening paper is most desirable as an advertising medium. If the matter of circulation is not considered, there are certain advantages which might preferably go into an evening journal; but as the morning paper is par excellence the home paper, the stand-by for the day, the woman's paper, it follows that the morning journal is best adapted for general purposes. The evening paper dies with the evening. During the day, last evening's paper is out of the question. It is the morning journal that engages the attention of the house wife, and it is the morning journal that is the reference sheet for the day.—SELECTED.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

Mortuary Report for the Month of December, 1892.

The total number of deaths reported for the month of December was 54, distributed as follows:

Under 1 year.....	4	From 30 to 40.....	10
From 1 to 5.....	7	From 40 to 50.....	7
From 5 to 10.....	2	From 50 to 60.....	5
From 10 to 20.....	3	From 60 to 70.....	5
From 20 to 30.....	9	Over 70.....	2
Males.....	32	Females.....	22
Hawaiians.....	25	Great Britain.....	1
Chinese.....	14	United States.....	3
Portuguese.....	5	Other nationalities.....	4
Japanese.....	2		
Total.....	54		
Unattended.....	8		
Non-Residents.....	4		

## CAUSE OF DEATH.

Blood Poisoning.....	2	Fever.....	7
Burns.....	1	Fever, Malarial.....	1
Beriberi.....	1	Hemorrhage.....	1
Consumption.....	9	Infantile.....	3
Convulsions.....	2	Old age.....	2
Cancer of Stomach.....	1	Peritonitis.....	1
Cancer of Throat.....	1	Pneumonia.....	2
Disease of Heart.....	2	Syphilis.....	1
Disease of Liver.....	2	Tubercular Meninge.....	1
Debility.....	1	gitis.....	1
Dropsy.....	1	Ulcer of Stomach.....	1
Diarrhea.....	5	Unknown.....	4

## COMPARATIVE MONTHLY MORTALITY.

Dec. 1888.....	65	Dec. 1891.....	54
Dec. 1889.....	67	Dec. 1892.....	54
Dec. 1890.....	53		

## DEATHS BY WEATHER.

Wards.....	1	2	3	4	5	Out-
Deaths.....	6	7	20	11	10	side.
Annual death rate per 1000 per month.....						23.17
Hawaiians.....						27.27
Asiatics.....						33.49
All other nationalities.....						22.28

C. B. REYNOLDS, Agent Board of Health.

## A STATE LAZARETTE.

A Bill on the Subject to be Submitted to the California Legislature.

The special committee of the Board of Health recently appointed by Mayor Sanderson to draft a bill on the subject of a State lazarette, to be submitted to the Legislature, says the S. F. Examiner, has its work nearly completed, and if the bill be passed it will relieve this city of the burden it has borne for many years, that of caring for all the lepers in the State at the expense of local taxpayers.

The bill will provide for the establishment and maintenance by the State of a leper lazarette, to which all unfortunate afflicted with that loathsome disease will be sent. This city has the only accommodations at present for such patients, and this fact has been well known to health officials of other counties. The result was that every leper found in the State was shipped to this city, putting the health officials to great inconvenience and the taxpayers to the expense of sending them out of the city again.

The ten men carrying the largest amount of life insurance in the United States are the following: John Wanamaker, Philadelphia, \$1,505,000; Hamilton Diston, Philadelphia, \$600,000; J. B. Stetson, Philadelphia, \$575,000; Samuel C. Lawrence, Boston, \$550,000; E. H. Abbott, Boston, \$500,000; J. Reed Whipple, Boston, \$500,000; Edwin Keith, Chicago, \$500,000; Chancey M. Dewey, New York, \$500,000; W. W. Gibbs, Philadelphia, \$500,000; Theodore A. Havemeyer, New York, \$500,000.

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## PHARMACISTS

A FULL LINE OF

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CHEMICALS.

Medicinal Preparations,

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Lowest Market Prices.

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—THE FINEST GRADES OF—

Tobaccos,

Cigars, Pipes and

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Chosen by a personal selection from first-class manufacturers, has been obtained, and will be added to from time to time.

—One of Brunswick &amp; Balke's—

Celebrated Billiard Tables

Is connected with the establishment, where lovers of the game can participate. 1382-g

## DEPUTY SHERIFF'S

## SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF

execution issued out of the District Magistrate of Koolanua, Oahu, on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1892, against Kumu (K) of Laleval, defendant, in favor of D. Kaban of Honolulu, plaintiff, for the sum of fifty-eight dollars (\$58.00), I have levied upon and shall expose for sale at the Court House at Hanalei, Koolanua, Oahu,

AT 12 NOON OF THE

14th Day of January, 1893,

to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Kumu, defendant, in and to the following property, unless said judgment, interest, costs and my expenses be previously paid.

List of property for sale:

3 houses, viz: 1 wooden house and 1 grass house; 3 bays.

HEZ. KAUAIHILO,

Deputy Sheriff of Koolanua, Oahu.

Kapaka, Dec. 2, 1892. 1480-d

## DEPUTY SHERIFF'S

## SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF

execution issued out of the District Magistrate of Koolanua, Oahu, on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1892, against Abai Hina (K) of Kapaka, defendant, in favor of L. K. Nume (K) of Kalahehi, plaintiff, for the sum of fifty-five dollars (\$55.00), I have levied upon and shall expose for sale at the Court House at Hanalei, Koolanua, Oahu,

AT 12 NOON OF THE

21st Day of January, 1893,

to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Abai Hina, defendant, in and to the following property, unless said judgment, interest, costs and my expenses be previously paid.

List of property for sale:

2 oxen, 4 horses, 2 draying horses, 1 rice machine, 1 rice pounder and tools, 1 round table, 1 sewing machine, 1 doz. chickens.

HEZ. KAUAIHILO,

Deputy Sheriff of Koolanua, Oahu.

Kapaka, Dec. 21, 1892. 1480-d

## Insurance Notices.

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Of London for FIRE &amp; LIFE.

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Hartford, Conn.

NATIONAL FIRE INSURANCE

CO. of Hartford, Conn.

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## TRANS - - - ATLANTIC

Fire Insurance Company,

-OF HAMBURG-

Capital of the Co. and Reserve, Reich-

marks.....6,000,000

Capital their Re-Insurance Companies.....101,620,000

Total.....Reichsmarks 107,620,000

## NORTH GERMAN

Fire Insurance Company,

-OF HAMBURG-

Capital of the Co. and Reserve Reich-

marks.....5,500,000

Capital their Re-Insurance Companies.....25,000,000

Total.....Reichsmarks 33,500,000

The undersigned, General Agents of the above two companies for the Hawaiian Islands, are prepared to insure Buildings, Furniture, Merchandise and Produce, Machinery, etc., also Sugar and Rice Mills, and vessels in the harbor, against loss or damage by fire, on the most favorable terms. H. HACKFELD & CO.

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JOHN S. WALKER,

1373-ly Agent for Hawaiian Islands.

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## INSURANCE!

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